

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



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NOTICE OF SECOND PUBLIC HEARING

DOCKET: 04-00211

IN RE: Tennessee Regulatory Authority Rulemaking to Amend Chapter 1220-4-2-.43 through .54, Known as Pay Telephone Rules

DATE: December 21, 2004

A Notice of Rulemaking, together with proposed rule amendments, was filed by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") with the Tennessee Department of State on July 30, 2004. Such Notice was published in the August 2004 issue of the Tennessee Administrative Register. A Rulemaking Hearing was conducted by the Authority pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 4-5-202 and 65-2-102 *et seq*, on October 11, 2004. The record was held open until October 25, 2004 for the filing of additional written comments. Comments continued to be received after October 25, 2004, by representatives of inmates and their families.

Although the Authority issued proper notice of the October 11, 2004 rulemaking hearing, the hearing was not attended by representatives of inmates or their families. In the interest of developing a complete record upon which a decision can be made, the Directors have determined that an additional hearing will be beneficial to allow oral comments from members of the public including inmate representatives or their families. During the November 22, 2004 Authority Conference the Directors voted unanimously to convene a second hearing for the purpose of allowing further oral comment by any interested individuals or entities regarding the proposed rule modifications.

A second public Hearing will be held on **Monday, January 10, 2005**, immediately following the regularly scheduled Authority Conference at **1:00 p.m.** in the Hearing Room of the Authority on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. If required, the Hearing may be extended to **Tuesday, January 11, 2005**.

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